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JEWES HOLD MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR LEADER

Memorial services for Dr. Isaac M. Wise, leader and organizer of the Jewish reform movement in this country, were held last night at Eighth Street Temple. Dr. Abraham Simon reviewed the life of the rabbi in an interesting address, and hymns composed by Dr. Wise were sung by the choir and congregation. Rabbi Louis Stern also took part in the services.

Dr. Simon emphasized the three ideals fostered by Dr. Wise—church unity, Americanization and education of the Jew.

Dr. Simon mentioned that Rabbi Wise was born in Bohemia 57 years ago, that he came to America in the '40s, that his first pastorate here was in Albany, that his radical reforms there caused an uprising during which the president of the congregation struck him in the face, that he subsequently went to Cincinnati, making that city the center of American Israelites until the time of his death, and that his zeal for things religious was so great that Daniel Webster said to him: "I would rather have a spark of your enthusiasm, Dr. Wise, than a contagion of my oratory."

Ramblers Plan Social Evening

The executive committee of the Ramblers' Pastime Club, an auxiliary of the Hikera Club, met last night at the home of Miss Monahan Ford, 1414 Park road, and decided that they would hold their first social gathering during the week following Easter. The affair will be a musicale and dance, and these chairmen were appointed: Mrs. E. G. Edmonson, refreshments; Miss Lillie Hunter, entertainment; and John Boyle, Jr., dancing.

PHILIPPINE VETERANS VISIT SNAKE'S LAIR

Garbed in the weird and barbarous costumes of the old-time natives of the Philippines, members of the Military Order of the Serpent last night held their annual "crawl" at the Elks Club.

In a jungle setting of tropical plants, with a twilight gloom lending mystic setting to the rites, a degree of fifteen trusted followers of Khathe Puna, each costumed as a savage, initiated twenty-six neophytes into the order. Out of the gloom came the fifteen dusky figures, waving savage-looking knives, whooping, and frightened the poor candidates almost to death. Then out of a cave came a green snake, large, long and ugly, thrusting out his tongue at the neophytes.

The degree then was composed of H. M. Peter, grand gu gu grandissimo; W. E. Clevenshine, thrice infamous inferior gu gu; Ernest Goltz, lord high keeper of sacred amphora; L. J. Laughton, most highest dact; C. W. McCaffrey, chief ladroner; Sheridan Perre, ungodly villain; William A. Dowling, thrice ducal yawler of the jungle; William J. Sammond, insidious thumper of the sanctified sheepskin; Charles Amman, lord high compeller of the bull cart; Chris. Hintenach, dog robber of the unhallowed loat, and P. J. Brennan, M. J. Dondy and Allen M. Russell, supernumeraries.

The grand gu gu grandissimo appointed the following to his staff: Companion Joseph J. Harvey, grand distributor of the true elements of the signal of distress; and Companion Arthur Demarco, grand high keeper of the sacred blow torch.

The organization is composed of men who served in the Spanish-American War, Philippine insurrection and China expedition.

Ballet Russe Casts Spell Of Enchantment Over All

Le Ballet Russe again revealed last evening at the National Theater their consummate art of the dance before an audience notable both in size and distinction. The program of the evening was bizarre and interesting, frequently displaying a keen imagery in conception and execution.

The opening number, "Scheherazade," was suggested by the prelude to The Arabian Nights. Pretending to be summoned by a marial trumpet, the king of India and China and his brother leave their wives and odalisques under the charge of the Grand Eunuch in the green and blue seraglio of Bagdad. Discontented with the chroniclers of their prison, the ladies force their guard to unlock the doors and let in some men. Even Zobeide, the first wife, led one of the male called a merry chase, until he came the king and surprised them. Calling the guards, he ordered a wholesale butchery; and the whole drove, male and female, were moved down without mercy. Finding the king impervious to even her blandishments, Zobeide slowly pushed a golden dagger into his heart and sank at the feet of her royal master.

Dance Is Kaleidoscopic.

"Scheherazade" offers excellent opportunities for strikingly individual work to Flore Revalles as Zobeide and Adolf Bolm as Zobeide's favorite Arab, but the veteran Cecchetti was also a notable figure as the Grand Eunuch. None will deny the sumptuous Oriental radiance of the whirling ballet, flying patterns of rose and blue, red and yellow, green and white, forming and reforming like waves on a beach, tossing one color to the crest and then another. The hazards of Bagdad apparently were robbed of their choicest fabrics and gayest tints by M. de Diaghileff to supply every whimsical wish of the harem, and the barbaric setting of the great Russian artist, Bakst, was in keeping with the mood of the drama and the music. In the midst of all the color and activity, the ballet was a feast for the eye. It is worth listening to, however, for it explains the passions of the play and describes what is going forward.

CALLS FORUM

MOTHERS' BOON

Prof. Edward J. Ward Addresses Meeting of Community Sunshine Society.

"The Community Center as a Means of Bridging the Widening Gap Between Us and Our Children" was the theme of an address by Prof. Edward J. Ward, director of the Community Sunshine Society, at a meeting of the Community Sunshine Society in Woodward & Lothrop's Auditorium yesterday afternoon.

"The effort to interest the fourth commandment as prohibiting the community's coming together in the schoolhouse, and so being made socially whole on the Sabbath day," said Prof. Ward, "becomes ineffectual in view of the unanswerable defense which Jesus gave for the right of propagating health on this or any day."

The Hollis-Johnson bill, which guarantees that the desires of the men and women of each community, when properly organized, shall be respected, is a resolution which should be adopted by the community, he said, by implication, a symbol of the disregard of the authority of the community association of adult citizens.

"On the other hand, when the Community Forum bill becomes the law, the public schoolhouse will tend to become more efficient for the instruction of children through the example of good citizenship set by the assembly of the men and women of each community, but will tend to become the means by which the older people may keep up with the younger generation."

Falls Behind Her Children.

"What this will mean is told strongly and simply in the words of a mother. She writes: 'The community center comes to the rescue of the middle-aged woman in the bitterest hour of her life. The average woman who brings up a family of children on the average waste must do all her own housework, her sewing and mending. The constant demands of little children on her time and energy leave her little opportunity to read or to think of anything besides the work of the day. She is probably happy in this, and looks forward to the time when her children grow up. Then they go to high school, or they go out into the world.

"Mingling with people of different training and greater advantages, they no longer think mother's decision on any matter final. She is suddenly aware some day that she is no longer the equal of that she is no longer a fountain of wisdom as she was to her little children, that she is ignorant and hopelessly behind the times.

"What shall she do? What can she do?"

"She goes to the community center. There she finds people with the same desire for self-improvement, the same want of training, and she also finds people of superior ability and experience who are ready to help her while they are helping themselves. She hears matters of public interest explained and discussed and she is delighted to find that she can understand them. She gains courage.

"After a little she takes part in a debate, and before the season is over she is able to participate in the discussion and express intelligent opinions. The woman has found herself. Her children look at her with new interest and begin to take pride in her."

Following Prof. Ward Dr. Martin spoke briefly on the baby week campaign. "The meeting was closed with a benediction by Rev. Dr. John McMurray."

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ALLEGES ATTEMPT TO EMBROIDER U.S.

Senator Stone Says Sinister Influences Are at Work to Start Mexican War.

The outbreak in the Senate over the Mexican situation which administration leaders have striven hard to avert came yesterday as a surprise to many observers. The result of the efforts of Senator Stone, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, to warn the Senate of the gravity of the situation.

Senator Stone's charge that sinister influences were at work to embroil the United States in war with Mexico. He inveighed bitterly against the reading of communications from constituents by Senators. He charged that discussion of the Mexican question was in fact nothing more than an attempt by the Republicans to make political capital out of the situation.

It was Senator Stone's protest against the reading of telegrams that developed the debate. Another administration leader, Senator Lewis, of Illinois, helped unwittingly to fan the flames by introducing a resolution which stated that citizens of the United States who furnish supplies or sustenance to the Villistas "are guilty of indirect treason within the meaning of the laws of the United States and its authorities."

Charges Sinister Influences.

A telegram from Senator Fall, absent from the Senate, representing the situation at Douglas, Ariz., as being most dangerous, and other telegrams of a similar nature, which Senator Stone charged that sinister influences were behind the authorship of such communications. Addressing himself to Senator Borah he declared that a man "who is running for President is all too apt to be influenced by some vain delusion by exploiting another."

He continued: "If you want to force a fight you can have all of it. You want to take that position if you wish to embarrass the administration; if you are seeking to force war with Mexico; if that is what you want, have the courage to say so like men. Do not be thrusting yourselves into this situation in a half gallant and insincere way. Do it openly if that is what you want."

VICE SQUAD MEMBERS WILL BE TRIED TODAY

Mason L. Howes and J. E. Elliott, suspended members of the police "vice squad," will go on trial before Judge Pugh in the United States branch of the Police Court at 10 o'clock this morning, charged with unlawfully entering the home of Mrs. Rose Kennett, 323 Delaware avenue northeast, early on the morning of March 18.

Attorney John C. Foster said last night that while Mrs. Kennett's client, was still suffering from shock caused by the incident, she would take the stand this morning. Her 8-year-old daughter, Gloria, who is said to have been the only one in the house with her mother on the night of the alleged unlawful entry, will be in court.

It was pointed out last night that if the accused policemen accept the offer made by the District Commissioners yesterday to detail Assistant Corporation Counsel Robert L. Williams to defend them, an unusual case will be enacted, with the District attorney's office prosecuting and the District corporation counsel's office defending.

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Irving Y. Cummings Tells Columbia Theater Audience of Folk Who Play for Screen.

SEES HIMSELF IN FILM

Love Scene in "The Saleslady" Interrupted to Let Actor Tell How Pictures Were Taken.



IRVING CUMMINGS.

A glimpse of moving picture stars in their everyday life was given the patrons of Lowe's Columbia theater yesterday in last evening by Irving Y. Cummings, who plays opposite Miss Hazel Dawn in "The Saleslady," which is being shown there. Mr. Cummings was coming through Washington en route to Atlanta, where he is going to play one of those desperate mountain feud parts, and consented to give the Columbia's audiences a glimpse of himself and an opportunity to hear a few words about the picture play industry. "The Saleslady" was interrupted almost in the midst of the love scene between Miss Dawn and Mr. Cummings for his appearance.

"Seven years ago, when I began to act for the screen, there were not the realistic settings and naturalness which now go to make up the life-like phases of them," said Mr. Cummings. "For instance, this picture you have just seen was made partly in New York and partly in Baltimore. The latter city was chosen for the love scenes in the park between Miss Dawn and your humble servant, which you have just seen. Then we went back to New York to hold the marriage ceremony, just shown.

"I think the greatest woman in motion pictures today is little Mary Pickford, great because she just plays her natural self, while other actresses become injured to the make-believe and cannot get away from that status entirely. Miss Hazel Dawn and Miss Billie Burke will make greater reputations for themselves on the screen than they ever could have made on the legitimate stage.

Barrymore Likes Craps.

"Then 'Crazy Jack' Barrymore—that's what I call him, for that's what he is—why, my dear people, if you should ever want to see him around the studio you would have to go to a room where the boys who play the incidental parts are congregated together, and there you'd find 'Crazy Jack' down on his knees, crying, 'Come seven, come eleven.' In the evening he gives back to those congenial craps the money he has taken from them in the craps game, that is, if he has taken any.

"There's another little chap about whom you may have heard something—'Charlie' Storm, 'Charlie' is his name—much of a funmaker out of the pictures as in, and if you were sitting in a restaurant and he walked in you'd expect him to come over and talk to you over the head with a loaf of bread."

Mr. Cummings was the hero in "The Diamond from the Sky," a motion picture series which took nine months to complete and which, had it taken three months more, he said, could have properly been called "The Diamond from Heaven," because then all its actors would have been dead from nervous trouble.

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